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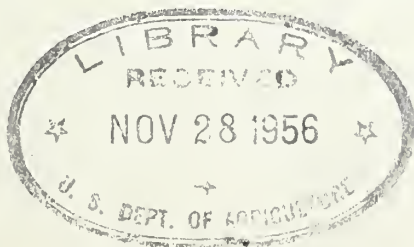
STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONS
OF

INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE ON NUTRITION EDUCATION AND SCHOOL LUNCH

The goal of the Committee is to promote joint efforts among the several agencies who share responsibility for improving diets and nutritional well-being of people in homes, institutions, and schools and at work. To attain its goal the Committee's members who represent education, extension, research, public health, and other programs in the field of food and nutrition have outlined the following broad areas of work from which to develop their cooperative undertakings.

1. To promote an understanding of the food and nutrition activities of member agencies and of organizations having related programs.
2. To develop mutually acceptable goals toward which member agencies may direct their efforts.
3. To provide consultant services to nutrition committees, agencies, and organizations.
4. To suggest needed studies, research, and action to make nutrition education and related programs more effective.
5. To recommend and facilitate carrying out such projects as institutes, workshops, and preparation of materials.
6. To present a unified interpretation of nutrition education and related programs in the United States to individuals and groups, including visitors from other countries.

The Committee periodically reviews these areas of work to determine the problems needing the concerted attention of member agencies and to select from them the problems on which the Committee can most effectively work.



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